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bear comparison with Mrs. Harris's biography, nor will its publication greatly enhance the reputation for scholarship and culture long enjoyed by the University of Virginia.

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THE PAPERS OF THOMAS RUFFIN. Collected and edited by J. G. de Roulhac Hamilton. Vol. I, Publications of the North Carolina Historical Commission, Raleigh. Pp. 541.

This is the first of several volumes in which Professor Hamilton will publish the correspondence, addresses, and some of the more important decisions of Thomas Ruffin, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of North Carolina, and probably the greatest judge and the most widely quoted legal authority of that state. The present volume comprises Judge Ruffin's own letters and those of numerous correspondents, many eminent in their day, between the years 1803 and 1830. In making his selection the editor has been guided solely by his desire "to choose all such letters as may throw light upon the personality and character either of Judge Ruffin or the writers." The volume is prefaced by a biography of Ruffin, and the work of editing is excellently done by Dr. Hamilton, who has every qualification for the task.

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AMERICAN CHARITIES. By Amos G. Warner, Ph.D., late Professor of Economics and Social Science in Leland Stanford Junior University, etc. Edition revised by Mary Roberts Coolidge, Ph.D.; with a Biographical Preface by George Eliot Howard, Ph.D., University of Nebraska. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell Company. 560 pp. 1918.

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